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TEHRAN AND JIDDA PLEASE PASS TO GENERAL HOOVER

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: OVIP, IC
SUBJECT: VISIT OF AIR FORCE SECRETARY STETSON TO ICELAND

REF: STATE 083596 (DTG 031143Z APR 78)(NOTAL)

SINCE SECRETARY HAS ALREADY BEEN PROVIDED WITH BASIC BACK-
GROUND ON US-ICELANDIC RELATIONS (REFTEL), WE DO NOT BELIEVE
IT NECESSARY TO DUPLICATE WHAT MAY ALREADY BE AVAILABLE TO HIM
AND TO OTHER KEY MEMBERS OF HIS PARTY. WE HAVE, MOREOVER,
BEEN ASSURED ON ICELANDIC SIDE THAT SECRETARY'S CALLS ON PRIME
MINISTER AND FOREIGN MINISTER WILL TOUCH ONLY LIGHTLY ON SUB-
STANTIVE MATTERS AND WILL PROBABLY BE CONFINED TO AN EXPRES-
SION OF APPRECIATION FOR USG DECISION TO POSITION AWACS AND
F-4ES IN ICELAND. WE WILL, OF COURSE, PROVIDE SECRETARY ON
ARRIVAL WITH UPDATE OF DEVELOPMENTS SINCE HIS DEPARTURE
WASHINGTON AND WITH BACKGROUND INFORMATION ON PERSON-
ALITIES HE MAY EXPECT TO MEET.

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